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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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In re Application of:

Blair E. Nygren et al.

Serial No.:

10/072,431

Filing Date:

February 8, 2002

Title:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING WORK

ACCORDING TO AN ACTIVE WORK MODEL

ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

I hereby certify that on April 5, 2002, this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 and is addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington,

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) – Filing Date Granted, mailed March 5, 2002. Applicants submit herewith:

- a) A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted;
- b) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney document for the abovereferenced patent application, which was filed February 8, 2002;
- c) A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed for the payment of the surcharge as a large entity; and
- d) An executed Assignment for the above-referenced patent application from the inventors to e-talk Corporation (along with a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney). The Assignment Transmittal Form and filing fee in the amount of \$40.00 are included herewith.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: April 5, 2002

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Attached:

Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (Copy)
Declaration and Power of Attorney
Check for \$130.00
Assignment Recordation Form (assigning rights from inventors to e-talk Corporation)
Assignment (along with a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney)
Check for \$40.00